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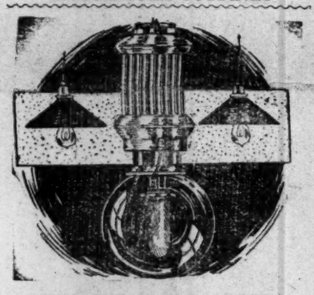

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SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

All hope of a reconciliation between Alfred E. Dieterich, of New York, one of the younger magnates of the Standard Oil Company, and his beautiful wife has been abandoned. She eloped to Europe in December last with Harry S. Brenchley, formerly a coachman for Alfred Gwyne Vanderbilt.

The husband has begun suit for absolute divorce.

Mrs. Dieterich, who gave up a place in the most exclusive society, and abandoned her six-year-old daughter, to accompany the coachman, is in France with him.

That Mrs. Dieterich does not mean to permit her husband to obtain a divorce without a defense was made known Thursday. One of the lawyers admitted that she had put in an answer denying every charge of miscouduct.

The complaint recites many incidents of Mrs. Dieterich's alleged misconduct with Brenchley in Paris, New York, and in the suburban district whither they frequently went to attend exhibitions of horses, to which both were devoted.

Mrs. Dieterich, in her answer, takes up her husband's allegations, and to each makes specfic denial.

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Mrs. Dieterich is a daughter of the late Albert Young, of Richmond, who was a partner in the great tobacco manufacturing firm of Young & Ginter, afterward Allen & Ginter. Mr. Young died several years ago, leaving a fortune of about $10,000,000. Most of this went to the widow, but the daughter, Edith, inherited more than $1,000,000 outright.

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The men found guilty are John H. Sanderson, contractor; William P. Snyder, former auditor general; W. L. Mathues, former State treasurer, and James M. Shumaker, former superintendent of public buildings and grounds.

The maximum imprisonment for each defendant in this case is two years and $1,000 fine.

The four men were convicted of defrauding the State in furnishing the new capitol which cost the State about $13 000,000, instead of $4,000,000, the figure at which the contract was estimated.

There are other defendants to be heard. The State claims that there are frauds amounting to nearly $5,000,000 in the furnishings of the capitol.

Joseph M. Huston, the architect of the capitol, will have to stand trial in the next batch of the conspiracy cases, which is to be called Monday, March 23. In the first the State agreed to a severance for Huston, and he was not tried. In the coming case the State will oppose a motion, and Huston will be tried with the other defendants in the metallic furniture contract case.

They are, besides Huston, Congressman H. Burd Cassel, of thr Pennsylvania Construction Company; former auditor General Snyder, former State Treasurer Mathues, former Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds Shumaker, and Traveling Auditor Frank Irvine.

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A man giving the name of Wendum caused a disturbance in St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Church in Chicago yesterday. The police think he may be mentally unbalanced. He sat in a pew in the rear part of the church, wearing his hat and mumbling in an incoherent manner. When requested by the janitor to remove his hat he declined and said:

"This is a free country and I can do as I please. When the organ begins playing I'm going to begin firing a gun."

The janitor ejected him. After reaching the vestibule Wendum denounced the Catholic religion, declaring that "priests should be blown off the earth."

He was later arrested, and told the police he had made trouble for the Catholic priests in Cleveland. He was searched, but no pistol was found in his pocket.

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SATURDAY EVENING, MAR. 14, 1908.

As was stated in the Gazette's telegraph column of that day, the liberals and the socialists came to a clash in the British House of Commons yesterday. Influenced to a certain extent by Lord Rosebery's speech in the House Thursday against socialism, the liberals threw overboard the unemployed workmen's bill of the labor party. The measure has become known as the "right-to-work" bill, because a vital clause makes it the duty of the local authorities to provide work for all unemployed persons, and failing in this the authorities shall provide maintenance for unemployed men and their families. "All we want is money, and we propose to get it from those bursting money bags of unearned increment, which the government is too timid to attack," was the phrase used by one of the labor leaders in the debate in the House of Commons yesterday. John Burns, the labor leader in the House, asked the House to reject the bill. He declared that the passage of this bill would be most destructive to the social fabric. The government already was doing all that could reasonably be expected, he declared, to improve the condition of labor. If it had made a mistake it was that it had gone too far, and exalted fustian and corduroy above the frock coat and the top hat.

Railway officials in certain parts of the county are after employees who use intoxicating liquors. All employees of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway have been compelled to subscribe to the total abstinence pledge. The assistant trainmaster, of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway has issued orders that hereafter no railroad hands would be called to duty from saloons or barrooms. Instead, they will be reported off for that day and their loafing place noted in the records. Liquor, when carried in "overdoses" on the Baltimore and Ohio, is now excess baggage. Orders have gone out over the different divisions that men passengers under the influence of liquor shall be ejected from the trains whether they have paid fare or not. Explanation is made that passengers, especially women, from insult. Already Pittsburg and Western division trainmen have made a "deal" with the borough authorities at Butler, whereby the "drunk" are put off at Butler station. Policemen meet the trains and take in custody the maudlin passengers, who add to the town's revenue when the daily police court convenes.

Two schoolhouses were badly damaged by fire in the vicinity of Scranton, Pa., during the past few days. At the No. 1 school building, in Peckville, Thursday afternoon, a blaze was discovered in the basement, and while the teachers and older pupils formed a bucket brigade and fought it, the others coolly marched out of the building. The fire was controlled before much damage resulted. Early yesterday morning an attempt was made to destroy No. 4 school building, in Dunmore. The cane-bottom chairs and waste baskets had been piled on a desk in a room on the ground floor of the building, after entrance had been gained by forcing the door. Paper was piled about this and the whole set on fire. Fortunately a policeman discovered the fire and extinguished it. A man had been previously seen to emerge from the school house and make his way out of the neighborhood. It is still believed by some that the terrible disaster at Collinwood, Ohio, was caused by an incendiary.

Perhaps the most disquieting feature of the business situation at this time, says the Philadelphia Record, is the failure of the organized coal miners of the United States and Canada to agree with operators on the question of wage rates after April 1, when the new mining year begins. A suspension of mining operations is possible. Thus far there has been no meeting of operators and the representatives of the miners in joint wage conference. Some of the operators insist on a reduction of wages, which the organized miners are in no temper to concede. The issue is clouded with doubt because of the uncertainty as to future demand and the renewal of contracts with large consumers at current prices.

Senator Fryan, of Florida, the youngest and handsomest member of the upper House of Congress, has been pursued by bad luck ever since his arrival in Washington as the late Senator Mallory's successor. He had not been in Washington two days before he was taken down with malaria, and when recovering from that, he was stricken with typhoid. Until actually forced to take to his bed he stuck manfully at his work and was constant in his attendance at the Senate. Although he has not yet made a set speech he has made a splendid impression by his ability in debate.

The Christ Episcopal Church, of New York city, of which Rev. George Alexander Strong is rector, is to make a trial of the new Christian psychology, as practiced by Dr. Worcester, of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Boston. That gentleman and his assistant, Dr. Samuel Macomb, are to go to New York to superintend the movement, which is to have a week's trial, beginning March 23.

The ground hog's six weeks has expired.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., March 14.

That Roosevelt will be re-nominated at Chicago, and re-elected at the polls is next to a sure thing, according to John A. Stewart, president of the league of republican clubs of New York. Stewart who has just returned from a trip in the far northwest, called at the White House today to tell the President out that way are confident he will serve four years more. No matter where you go said Stewart "the people seem to be sure that the President will eventually run again and this feeling is just as strong in Canada, as it is in the United States."

"Taft will not get 300 votes in the convention. I have just made a bet with another Senator that he will never get 350; that showed how strongly I believe that Roosevelt will be the nominee of the convention." With these words Senator Bourne, of Oregon reiterated his predictions regarding the presidential succession. Bourne was a caller at the White House today and after his visit with the President asserted that "unless the people preferred him as a dictator than as a servant, they would compel him to run another term." "I believe," said Senator Bourne, "that the will of the people is supreme in this country. The man in the White House thinks he can dictate his successor. I believe he will find himself mistaken. He himself is the only man that can win on the republican ticket this fall, and the only way to prevent Bryan from sweeping the country is to make him run whether he wishes to do so or not."

It is practically certain that the subcommittee of the Senate committee on the judiciary will report in favor of a bill to confirm to the States their police powers over shipments of liquor, coming in interstate commerce, as soon as they cross the State lines. It was decided that the sub-committee should meet early Monday morning and prepare the draft of the bill which it will recommend to the full committee for passage. The points which it is desired to safeguard are the individual rights of a person to order liquors for his own personal use while preventing the practice which now prevails in many prohibition States of having liquors shipped in care of an express company, or otherwise, and, on receipt, being distributed among a number of persons who were not named as the consignees.

Representative Perkins, of New York, told the President today that Secretary Taft's nomination at Chicago was in his judgment a certainty, and in doing so the Empire State Congressman threw up the sponge for Hughes. "Nothing would please the people of New York have him nominated. This, however, seems impossible and the next best thing is to do the best we can, which is to nominate Taft. The opposition to Taft will not be able to combine against him, and the result will be that, after the first ballot, if the Secretary has not already won the nomination, the delegates pledged to favorite sons will flock to the Taft inclosure."

Representative W. Bourke Cockran, of New York, who is serving his second term as Congressman, has been dropped from all the committees in Tammany Hall, and within a week or two he will be dropped from the board of sachems of the Columbian Order, of which he is grand sachem. Mr. Lewis Nixon succeeds Mr. Cockran as chairman of the committee on legislation and John J. Delany on speakers. It is also said that he will not be renominated for Congress next fall, nor will he be allowed to go to the Denver convention as a delegate from New York county. In Tammany circles he is held to be "absolutely down and out."

That millions of dollars for the fortification and coast defenses of the Pacific seaboard of the United States and for the Philippine Islands will be carried in the fortifications appropriation bill which is now under consideration by the House committee on appropriations, was learned today. The bill will be reported to the House Monday.

At a meeting of the democratic steering committee of the Senate held today it was decided to assign to the new Senator Gary of South Carolina, all of the committee places that were held by the late Senator Latimer, whom he succeeds, with one exception. On the special application of Mr. Gore, the blind Senator from Oklahoma, he was transferred from the committee on privileges and elections to Latimer's place on the agricultural committee, Mr. Gary being given the vacancy thus created on the privileges and elections committee.

An appeal was taken yesterday by District Attorney Baker from the decision of Judge Stafford, holding that the perambulating method of bookmaking was within the law. Notwithstanding the court's decision, Commissioner Mcfarland says that arrests of all bookmakers detected in receiving and placing bets on the races at Bennings would be made as soon as the spring meeting opened.

The battleship New Hampshire, the first to be added to the navy since the departure of the Atlantic fleet, was ordered placed in commission at the League Island Navy Yard today. This vessel is a 16,500 ton ship.

The Chinese government, confident in the belief that all necessary amends have been made in the matter of the capture of the Japanese steamship Tatsu by apoligizing for the lowering of the Japanese flag on the vessel, is inclined to stand firmly by the decision of the customs officials to not surrender the ship nor great indemnity, inasmuch as a careful investigation has shown conclusively that the vessel was actually engaged in smuggling munition of war. This information comes in an official report on the situation to a foreign embassy in this city, by the way of its foreign office.

Another naval problem has been launched by Surgeon General Rixey in a statement to Secretary Metcalf in which he alleges that "there has been, and is now, much preventable suffering," in the navy and that "many deaths have occurred which might have been prevented." The statement is embodied in a memorandum to Secretary Metcalf, who will, as a result, press upon Congress the passage of a bill to authorize the establishment of a corps of trained women nurses, the increase of the hospital corps and the appointment of dental surgeons.

Through his Washington campaign bureau, Secretary Taft today denied that any fight had been authorized in Illinois to secure delegates from the Cannon fold.

A plea for greater opportunities in the education and treatment of backward and deficient children was made at today's session of the Congress of Mothers by Dr. E. A. Farrington, of the Bancroft Cox School, Haddenfield, N. J., who urged the establishment of government schools for such unfortunates. Training of deaf children and the necessity for greater thoroughness and extension of opportunities was urged by Miss Mary S. Garret, who is in charge of the Pennsylvania work for the deaf.

News of the Day.

The streets of Budapest, Hungary, are heavily patrolled by police and troops today to prevent a fresh outbreak.

Fire in Bahia yesterday destroyed $1,000,000 worth of property in the business section and caused the loss of several lives.

A dispatch from Woodshole, Mass., says the British steamer Silvia is ashore off Cuttyhunk, and she is believed to be in danger of sinking.

In an 8-hour speed test during their trip up the Pacific the cruiser St. Louis proved its superiority over the Charleston and Milwaukee.

Fire of mysterious origin today destroyed 12 coaches and wrecked 2 engines of the Erie railroad on a switch near Springvalley, N. J.

The secretary of Speaker Cannon states that John Sharp Williams is responsible for placing Richard P. Hobson on the naval committee.

It is believed in Paris, that Madame Gould is on her way to America to secure her family's consent to her marriage with Prince Helie de Sagan. It is believed he will follow her shortly.

Thomas A. Edison, whose life was despaired of two weeks ago when he failed to rally at first after an operation for aural abscesses, left New York, today for the south on a trip for his health.

Estimated earnings of the Southern Railway for the first week in March, according to a statement issued yesterday by Comptroller Plant, showed a decrease of $1.48,668 as compared with the corresponding week in 1907.

A dispatch from London says his closest political associates admit that Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is dying. They say there is a possibility that he may linger several weeks but his recovery is impossible. He has heart disease.

James Mackessey, the fifteen-year-old boy kidnapped at Canton, Md., several weeks ago, was found at Parkersburg, W. Va., today. The lad claims he was deserted at Richmond, Va., by the men who kidnapped him after he had stolen

A dispatch from Paris says Prince Helie De Sagan is to sail for New York, according to reliable authority either from Havre tonight or from Cherbourg Wednesday. It has been impossible to secure from him a statement concerning reports that he has already married Mme. Gould.

In a powder explosion that shook the earth for miles around several employes of the Ohio quarries near Amherst, Ohio, were injured early today. A workmen named Bunner, who was working near a keg of powder, cast away a burning match after lighting his pipe. The match ignited the powder.

A fire in the candy factory of Arthur Essing, at 320 Pearl street, New York, today caused considerable excitement. The fire, however, was confined by the firemen. The loss will reach $100,000. There was another fire in the Hudson River tunnel building which also caused some excitement in the vicinity.

Tramps are believed to have been responsible for a fire at East Liberty, Pa., today which consumed four buildings, entailing a loss estimated at $40,000. The fire started in the abandoned ice plant of the Consolidated Ice Company. It is believed a tramp in throwing away a lighted cigarette ignited the building.

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate yesterday Senator Carter, in replying to the statement made by Sidney Bieber regarding his acquisition of government land, excoriated the young man, as far as words could do it.

During his speech he said: These corridors have been—probably more in days gone by than now—infested with a lot of slick and slimy self-seeking individuals, seeking to profit by the confidence that men here assembled exhibit in their constituents and in those who petition here in good faith for relief.

"This is the class of people who make it a business to trade on their supposed acquaintance with public men. One of them will approach you in the street, and manage to walk with you a block, and then go and point to the fact that he is on chummy terms with you, and, so pointing you out, will seek to profit, when your acquaintance with him is limited and your confidence does not exist at all."

Senator Bacon talking of the President's usurpation of functions of Congress predicted that if the present tendency should continue the executive would yet be deciding who should and who should not come to Congress. He predicted dictatorship and severely criticised executive encroachment on the legislative branch of the government.

Senator Frye's Panama canal supplies shipping resolution was finally passed.

Senator Simmons broke the solid democratic phalanx against ship subsidies by coming out in a speech for Senator Gallinger's mail subsidy bill.

After a brief executive session the Senate, at 4:40 p. m. adjourned until Monday next.

In the House the postoffice appropriation bill was considered in the committee of the whole. At 4:30 the committee arose, and the bill, carrying more than $200,000,000, was passed. Three hundred and seventy-three private pension bills were passed.

Virginia News.

John W. Munson, a former member of Mosby's command, died on Long Island on Thursday.

Dr. S. Weir Mitchell yesterday delivered the first lecture at the University of Virginia on the Barbour-Page foundation.

Mrs. Mary W. Taylor, wife of Richard M. Taylor, former mayor of Richmond, died yesterday at her home in that city.

Rev. William E. Allen, a retired Methodist minister, died at Wakefield, yesterday, as a result of a cold caught while conducting a funeral.

E. A. Warren, postmaster at Bristol, has been informed that charges involving undue political activity and immorality will be filed against him.

Rev. A. P. Gray, of Amherst, has accepted the call to the Episcopal churches in Cople parish, in Westmoreland county and is expected to enter upon his duties next Sunday.

Samuel T. Hickman, of Leesburg, died Thursday night, aged about fifty. He was a successful merchant of Leesburg, senior member of the firm of S. T. Hickman & Son, and a native of Loudoun county.

L. McLacklan, of Westmoreland county while walking from Hague to his home yesterday, sat down to rest on the roadside and in a few minutes was dead from heart disease. He was found a short while later. He was a Confederate veteran.

For the erection of a death chamber at the State penitentiary and its equipment with an electric chair and machinery for the electrocution of prisoners, the sum of $6,000 has been appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the penitentiary authorities. Thereafter, as heretofore stated, the gallows will be abolished.

Lottie, a young daughter of Robert Campbell, of Luray, died yesterday of horrible burns, sustained yesterday. The girl was standing by a fire in the garden when her clothing become ignited. She ran into the house, where several brothers and sisters attempted to extinguish the flames by throwing water over the girl. She however was burned so bad that she died in a few hours.

LEGISLATIVE ACTS.

All measures passed by the general assembly have been enrolled, read by a committee of the legislators, and only await the signature of the governor when they will become acts. So far, the governor has vetoed only one act.

The great majority of the acts are effective in ninety days after the final adjournment, while others carry an emergency clause and are effective as soon as the governor affixes his signature.

Each of the many measures has been signed by the president of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and are now on Governor Swanson's desk.

Four hundred and nine bills passed the legislature. Of this number 266 were presented in the House, and 143 in the Senate. Under the law the governor must sign all bills within five days after they are presented, or else, unless he wishes to issue a veto, they will become law without it.

More than five hundred measures, some of the, were left in the committee rooms of the House, and as far as the delegates introducing them are concerned, they might as well have spared themselves the trouble of drafting them.

NO SOUTHERN DIVIDEND.

No action was taken by the directors of the Southern Railway Company at their meeting in New York yesterday on the preferred stock dividend, which is usually acted upon at this time of the year. It was stated after the meeting that the dividend question had not come up for consideration.

Last October the semi-annual disbursement was reduced from 2½ to 1½ per cent. Previous to that time the company had been paying 5 per cent. annually on its $60,000,000 preferred stock.

In financial circles the nonaction of the directors yesterday was discounted, as it was generally understood that the Southern Railway Company had been forced to meet new conditions growing out of legislative rate enactments, and that the inability of the company to handle economically all the business offered several months ago because of inadequate facilities had lessened the earnings.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Proceedings of the Court of Appeals yesterday were as follows:

Southern Railway Company vs. Davis, &c.; fully argued and submitted.

Peters vs. Lynchburg Traction and Light Company argued and submitted.

Next cases to be called: Richards Oil Company vs. Morris; Swann vs. Washington Southern Railway Company; Fanshaw vs., Norfolk and Portsmouth Traction Company; Epes vs Saunders et al.; Stuart et al. vs. Hoffman & Co. et al; German National Insurance Company vs. Virginia Insurance Company; City of Richmond vs. Pemberton, and Jordon vs. Smith, oyster inspector, being Nos. 57 to 65, inclusive.

The court will complete its labors with the coming week and take a recess to the summer term at Wytheville, which begins the first week in June.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Mar. 14.—The tone of the market at the opening and during the greater part of the first hour was decidedly buoyant and trading on the floor was more active than it has been at any time this year. In government bonds the registered 2s declined three-fourths, other bonds strong.

Do not Crowd the Season.

The first warm days of spring bring with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating air and sunshine. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown aside and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that grip is epidemic. Colds at this season are even more dangerous than in mid-winter, as there is more danger of pneumonia. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cures, and we have never known a cold to result in pneumonia when it was used. It is pleasant and safe to take. Children like it. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Today's Telegraphic News.

China and Japan.

London, Mar. 14.—Japan is beginning to rage—impotent rage—from all appearances. China is rapidly adding insult to injury. Not satisfied with seizing the Japanese Tatsu Maru for smuggling arms to Chinese rebels, with agreeing to "make it right" with the Mikado for the seizure and then not doing it, and finally with deliberately ignoring a Japanese altimatum, the celestial kingdom is retaliating for Nippon's interference in its Manchurian railroad plans.

The Chinese have apologized, indeed, for hauling down the Japanese flag on the Tatsu, but that's all the Mikado has got in return for his demands that the vessel and cargo be surrendered, the officials who seized it be punished and a heavy indemnity be paid for the annoyance and delay.

Exactly why Japan is so slow to make good her warlike threats diplomats here have not yet succeeded in figuring out. Some think England has interferred; some think the Mikado can't afford the luxury of a war at present.

Hong Kong, Mar. 14.—The Japanese cruisers Kamukmo, Soma and Akitsu and a smaller craft, constituting the first squadron, are to sail or have already sailed, on a secret mission and to an unknown destination, according to information received, Formosa.

While definite information is lacking there is much excitement here due to the conjecture that the squadron is bound for Canton to take forcible action toward the release of the steamship Tatsu Maru seized by China for smuggling Japanese arms to Chinese rebels.

Young Woman Attempts Suicide.

New York, Mar. 14.—Determined to die as she says four of her school girl friends died before her, Helen Baxter, a pretty young women of 17, attempted to commit suicide with gas in her room in a west Forty-third street boarding house early today, and was found barely in time to save her.

She refused to tell her friends' names or whether a suicide pact existed, stating they all left St. Paul together after their high school graduation and that she alone survives. "They all died by gas," she added. "Its the easiest way." At the station house the would-be suicide said: "My father died while I was in school. After my graduation I came to New York with four girl friends, thinking we could make our fortune here. It was harder than we expected. Then the girls began killing themselves. Soon Grace and I alone were left. Grace married. I found a place in a Fourteenth street department store. One night I went to see Grace. I found her dead. She had died as the others did by gas. I lost my place, got another as a telephone operator and lost that, too. A rich man, now in Europe, met and liked me because, he said, I was so young and fresh. When he went abroad I had nothing lef to live for. I decided to die last night.'

Towboat Collides with Pier.

Ashland, Ky., Mar. 14.—The towboat Boaz, en route from Pittsburg to Cincinnati, with 12 coal boats and 16 barges, crashed into the exposed pier of the new Ashland-Ironton bridge, below this city, today, and it is feared that five members of the crew were drowned. The steamer Boaz and the raging Ohio. The boat tried several times to land, but owing to the high water could find no place. There was a heavy fog on the river. There were about 35 men on the boat, and many of them had to fight for their lives in the water where they were whirled by the impact of the crash. The boat went on down stream after the crash, but the barges broke loose and many of them sank.

Rev. Cooke and Miss Whaley.

San Francisco, Mar. 14.—Rev. Jere Cooke, who eloped with his ward, Fioretta Whaley, from Hempstead, L. I., finally admits that he is tired of being an outcast. He declares that he has found that he "cannot buck against the world." Cooke and the girl and their little baby were found today living in a cozy flat in one of the best residence neighborhoods of the city. He was well dressed and appeared in good health. The girl also looked as if she was enjoying life. Cooke and his companion were first located here several months ago. At that time they were living in a plain but comfortable flat and Cooke was working as a painter. Later he is said to have been unemployed.

Remarkable Escape.

New York, Mar. 14.—Struck by a flying express train as he attempted to cross the Brooklyn Bridge tracks today James Kelly was hurled 20 feet through the air, past the other whizzing cars and over a half dozen deadly third rails into the steel net work separating the car tracks from the promenade. Thousands watched his flight, rushed to the spot expecting to find a corpse, dragged the man to the promenade and found him unhurt except for a severe scalp wound sustained as he brought up after his involuntary plunge into space.

Singular Mortality.

Pittsburg, Pa., Mar. 14.—Within four weeks death wiped out the family of Mrs. Katherine Spahr, and the woman, heartbroken, physicians say, is dying from grief. The sixth and last member of her family died today when Willis, her one-year-old son, succumbed to pneumonia. Mrs. Spahr's husband died February 14 and the death of her father and four children followed in rapid succession.

Refused Mlle Leclerc's Money.

Paris, Mar. 14.—The Paris press is jubilant today over the French Academy's refusal to accept the $20,000 willed to it by Mlle. Louise H. Leclerc, who died in New York a year ago, to be used in "raising the moral tone of France." The papers say France's moral tone is quite as good as that of any country in the world, better than some, and that Mlle. Leclerc's bequest was an insult.

Probable Overthrow of Japanese Ministry.

Tokio, Mar. 14.—General election returns indicate the overthrow of the present ministry as a practical certainty. Marquis Katsura will be the next premier. There is much speculation concerning Foreign Minister Hayashi's successor. English Ambassador Komura will probably be chosen.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Burned by Night Riders.

Lexington, Mar. 14.—Night riders visited Scott and Woodford counties, within 20 miles of Lexington, early today. A band of fifty armed and masked men rode to the farm of George Grady, near Versailles, applied the torch to a large tobacco barn and corn crib near by and both were destroyed. Then they rode to the farm of Mrs Elizabeth Pepper in Scott county. Here they applied the torch to the barn and reduced it to ashes.

Judgment Confirmed.

Caracas, Mar. 14.—The Venezuelan Supreme Court has confirmed the lower tribunal's judgment fining the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company $5,000,000 on the ground that it aided the Matos rebellion against President Castro's government. Now the company will take its case to the Court of Cassation, the tribunal of last resort.

Sudden Death of Rear Admiral.

New York, Mar. 14.—Rear Admiral Theodore F. Kane, U. S. N., retired, died very suddenly here this morning.

He died of heart disease, being found in his room at the hotel this morning. Rear Admiral Kane was born in Washington in 1840.

Motor Car in Jerusalem.

Jerusalem, Mar. 14.—Chas. J. Glidden, of Boston, arrived here yesterday in a motor car from Hafia, Syria. It was the first motor car ever seen in Jerusalem and created a sensation among the populace.

Four Hundred Houses Destroyed.

Constantinople, Mar. 14.—Four hundred houses have been destroyed by a fire here and three thousand people rendered homeless.

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Mar. 14.

SENATE.

The Senate was not in session today, having adjourned yesterday till Monday.

HOUSE.

The House today passed a bill designed to grant great relief to tobacco growers. It facilitates the sale of tobacco by the grower to the consumer by providing that the tax imposed on a "manufacturer" of tobacco shall not apply to him.

The House today took up the general pension appropriation bill in general debate.

The democrats in Congress attempted to go "a fishin" politically today by having the House adopt a resolution calling on the President to forward to it all the information and data he has secured by the bureau of corporations and not yet made public. Speaker Cannon put a quietus on the excursion by declaring the resolution could not be considered in the House at that time.

THAW TO CONTEST.

Denying the charge of insanity and praying for dismissal of the suit, Harry K. Thaw, through his counsel last night made answer to Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's suit for an annulment of their marriage. Thaw's answer was delivered to Daniel O'Reilly, counsel for Mrs. Thaw, who, after receiving the papers, announced that the case would be put on the trial calendar in the Supreme Court of New York, next week. The answer of Harry Thaw is brief and contains only the barest legal formalities. A. Russell Peabody, Thaw's counsel, declared that the case would be resolutely contested by his client. It is believed in Pittsburg that Evelyn has arranged to marry within a short time after she is freed from her present marriage bonds.

Dr. Llewellyn Elliott and Dr. G. M. Kober have resigned from the consulting board of Providence Hospital, Washington. Drs. Elliot and Kober base their resignations on the stand taken by Dr. J. Thomas Kelley, jr., who resigned because the acceptance of the position of gynecologist, vacated through Dr. J. Wesley Bovee's dismissal, conflicted with the by-laws of the Medical Association of the District.

The German topedo boat S 12 was yesterday run into and sunk by an unknown steamer at the mouth of the River Elbe and the chief engineer was drowned, but the remainded of the crew were rescued.

Tetter, Salt Rheum and Eczema.

These are diseases for which Chamberlain's Salve is especially valuable. It quickly allays the itching and smarting and soon effects a cure. Price, 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Statement of the Financial Condition OF THE VIRGINIA SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CORPORATION

Located at Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business February 14, 1908, made to the State Corporation Commission.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$528,386 58
Overdrafts	4,135 32
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	83,655 63
Banking house	31,604 96
Furniture and fixtures	12,448 89
Checks and other cash items	7,112 85
Due from National Banks	9,802 18
Due from State Banks and Private Bankers	47,813 11
Specie, nickels and cents	642 02
Paper currency	37,864 00
All other items of resources, viz:	
Trust securities	22,000 00
J. C. Abbott, Con. Acct	2, 69 55
A. J. Porter " "	1,800 00
Crawford administrator	712 06
Total	$789,847 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$287,820 00
Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, expenses and taxes	9,659 07
Dividends unpaid	54 00
Individual deposits subject to check	368,711 37
Demand certificates of deposit	39,851 87
Certified checks	2,427 83
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,123 91
Due to National Banks	32,345 65
Due to State Banks and Bankers	5,853 45
Bills payable	20,000 00
Trust funds	22,000 00
Total	$789,847 15

I, C. J. Rixey, President, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation, located at Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 14th day of February, 1908, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. J. RIXEY, President.

Correct—Attest:

H. Baader, Henry K. Field, Geo. S. French } Directors.

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of March, 1908.

F. F. MARBURY, Notary Public.

My commission expires May 8, 1909.

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ALEXANDRIA GERMAN CLUB.

Now that the Lenten season is on hand and society supposed to desist from dancing for the present, at least, it may not be inappropriate to note what the Alexandria German Club has been doing during the winter. This club bears the same relationship to society in Alexandria as does, for instance, the Bachelors' German Club, of Washington, and the Bachelors' Cotillion Club, of Baltimore, does to society of those cities and should be therefore fostered and encouraged by Alexandrians, as its principal social institution. Its dances are more enjoyed by the young people of both sexes than any other series of entertainments that occur during the gay season. Since its organization, twenty-five or thirty years ago, it has had its ups and downs as is the fate of all similar organizations—flourishing at one time and at another apparently on the wane. The season just passed seems to have been eminently successfully while the membership is not large consequently the revenue is comparatively small, still by great good management on the part of the committee, many of whom, though not dancing men themselves, give their time and labor for the success of the club and the enjoyment of others, and deserve the thanks of all concerned. Four dances have been given so far, the next one to come off on the 24th of April, and is usually called the Easter German. A very large number of strangers have attended these dances this winter coming from the large cities north of Alexandria as well as in Virginia. Judge Louis C. Barley and Mr. Harry Beverly have led the germans for some years, both gentlemen filling that difficult and it might be said thankless office with ability and entire satisfaction to all. Its duties are arduous, requiring on the part of the leader firmness, tact and experience which may be expressed in what Lord Chesterfield would call "Suaviter in modo, fortiter in re." It would be remiss not to mention here the ladies' german given to the members of the Alexandria German Club on the 17th of January, a delightful affair, conducted in the best of good taste and marked by the rollicking fun that leap year privileges allowed the young ladies. It is to be hoped that by the opening of the winter season the ranks of the Alexandria German Club will be still further augmented by additions to its membership, whether they be disciples of "Terpsichore" or not but for the pride of assisting in keeping the club in a flourishing condition, if for no other reason.

The following is a list of the club's membership:

Committee—Dr. T. B. Cochran, president; Jas. S. Douglas, jr., secretary; Julian T. Burke, jr., treasurer; Judge Louis C. Barley, R. M. Chichester, M. L King, A. D. Brockett, Douglas Stuart, E. B. Taylor and R. H. Beverly. List of members of the Alexandria German Club for the season of 1907-1908. J. Addison Dalngerfield, John P. Agnew, Carroll W. Ashby, R. Harry Beverly, Judge Louis C. Barley, Charles D. Barrett, Dr. Vivian P. Berry, Gardner L. Boothe, Albert D. Brockett, Robley D. Brumback, Julian T. Burke, jr., Algernon Chalmers, Richard M. Chichester, Dr. Thomas B. Cochran, Henry O'Bannon Cooper, Robert W. Davis, B. Gwynn Dent, S. Magruder Dent, Jas. S. Douglas, jr., Edward S. Fawcett, J. Harris Franklin, D. Milton French, George S. French, John K. Graves, Arthur Herbert, jr., Edmund P. Hunter, Mahlon H. Janney, J. Marshall Jones Marshall L. King, Wallace N. Lindsey, Lewis H. Machen, Frank P. Morse, Richard Micou, J. L. Mayre, Dr. Julian T. Miller, Aylett B. Nicol, Judge J. K. M. Norton, Carroll Pierce, Dr. Llewellyn Powell, Louis S. Scott, Kearsley Selden, Howard W. Smith, Chas. C. Smoot, 3rd., W. A. Smoot, jr., Douglass Stuart, Alexander K. Stratton, Eugene B. Taylor, James M. Willis, C. Page Waller, Wilmer J. Waller, Gustave R. Thompson, J. Thornton Ashton and Phillip Dawson.

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A PLEA FOR THE WREN.

Miss Stuart's plea for the purple martin, as published in the Gazette a few evenings ago, impels me to offer a word or two in favor of the common wren. These little feathered atoms, like the martins, destroy countless myriads of insects during the season, but, however, of another class; namely, those which infest our trees, vines, vegetables and growing plants. A writer in Suburban Life for March, tells of the almost incurable number of these pests, fed to their young by a single pair of wrens in a given time, and states how she succeeded in destroying the caterpillars, worms, etc. in her garden with the help of the wrens. Truly they are our friends and we should reciprocate by offering them protection and shelter in the form of small houses or boxes, placed out of reach of prowling cats and mischievous youngsters.

The little vocalists will more than repay us for this slight trouble, with song alone (and such a sweet cherry little song it is, brimful of melody), to say nothing of the good work done among the shrubbery, trees and plants in the garden.

The opening in the wren's house should be small. "Not large enough for a sparrow to even get his head in." A number of smaller holes should be bored in the front of the house for ventilation. I have noticed the lack of this latter precaution in most of the houses I have seen.

To one who is an ardent lover of nature it is gratifying to know that in our town there are a few, at least, who champion the course of our feathered friends. May their numbers increase.

W. E. Dienelt.

A WOMAN TO BE PRETTY

Must Have Luxuriant and Glossy Hair, No Matter What Color.

The finest contour of a female face, the sweetest smile of a female mouth, loses something if the head is crowned with scant hair. Scant and falling hair, it is now known, is caused by a parasite that burrows into the scalp to the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality. The little white scales the germ throws up in burrowing are called dandruff. To cure dandruff permanently, then, and to stop falling hair, that germ must be killed. Newbro's Herpicide, an entirely new result of the chemical laboratory, destroys the dandruff germ, and, of course, stop the falling hair, and prevents baldness.

Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., agents. Two sizes 50c and $1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 158

FOR SALE.

A fine ALDERNEY BULL suitable for breeding or for beef. In good condition.

S. B. SNOWDEN, E. F. D., mar14tw 3t* Alexandria.

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SATURDAY EVENING, MAR. 14, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:11 and sets 6:07
High water at 6:07 a. m. and 6:25 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight. Sunday partly cloudy, probably rain late in the afternoon; fresh southwesterly winds.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. J. Morton rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. 7:30 a. m. Holy Communion. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the rector.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips.

GRACE CHURCH—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services and sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. J. May.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH—First mass at 7 a. m. Mass and sermon at 10.30 a. m. Vesper. and benediction 4 p. m.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9.30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. R. Sevier.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. F. Fisher.

TRINITY METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 6:30 p. m.

BETHANY M. P. CHURCH—south Fairfax street—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Wm. M. Poisal.

METH. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH—Rev. Charles D. Bulla, pastor.—9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. preaching by Rev. C. D. Bulla. 6:30 p. m., Epworth League.

METH. PROT. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. G. I. Humphreys. Class meeting at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH—Lee street near Wilkes—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. A. W. Myers.

VILLAGE CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Gibbon street, near Alfred.—Sunday school at 2:45 p.m.

BAPTIST MISSION—Corner of Pendleton and Columbus streets—Sunday school and preaching at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Young men are invited.

DEL RAY CHAPEL M.E. CHURCH SOUTH—Sunday school at 2. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALMS HOUSE—Services at 2:30 p. m.

MISSION—Corner Fairfax and Franklin street. Services at 7:30 p. m.

ROBERTS CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored)—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MEADE CHAPEL—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (colored)—north Alfred street—Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor—Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Praise and prayer meeting 6:30 p. m.

TOWN OF POTOMAC.

When the signature of Gov. Swanson to House bill No. 150, which was introduced by Delegate James R. Caton and passed by both branches of the legislature, shall have been obtained, the town of Potomac, in Alexandria county, a short distance north of this city, will be brought into existence.

The new corporation will embrace the villages of Del Ray, St. Elmo, and St. Asaph, and will be bounded on the south by Lloyd avenue, on the east by the Washington and Alexandria turnpike, on the north by the Georgetown road, and on the west by the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway tracks.

The bill authorizing the incorporation of the town provides for a mayor, clerk, sergeant, treasurer, and six councilmen, and names the following, who shall hold their respective offices until September 1, 1908, when officials to be chosen by the voters of the town will succeed them: Mayor, J. E. Supplee; clerk, George W. Zachary; sergeant, Richard H. Roberts; treasurer, Walter U. Varney; councilmen, William E. Kidwell, Charles A. Campbell, H. H. Powell, W. T. Emerson, J. V. Barrett, and J. A. Carpenter.

A meeting of residents of the villages mentioned was held in the Del Ray schoolhouse last night, when a proposition to extend the wires of the Alexandria Electric Company into the town for lighting and other purposes, was discussed with representatives of the electric company.

MARRIAGE.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to John W. Mullen, twenty-four years of age, and Miss Amelia Weiss, aged seventeen, of Rosslyn, Alexandria county, and they were married by Rev. Frederick B. Howden, in Washington. The bride and groom, it will be remembered, figured last September in an experience in which Mullen received a bullet wound in the mouth and one in one of his legs. Miss Weiss then asserted that both she and Mullen had been held up near Dead Man's Hollow, across the Aqueduct bridge, and that after Mullen had been beaten unconscious she was pursued by a negro and cruelly treated. Miss Weiss's brother Emile, a waiter employed in Washington, was arrested on suspicion of assailing Mullen. The next day Charles Weiss, another brother of the girl, was arrested on suspicion. A day or two later Mullen identified him as the assailant. Both brothers were shortly afterward released, and the case was dropped. Mr. Mullen filed with the clerk of the court yesterday the written consent of Jacob Weiss, father of the girl, to the marriage, she being under eighteen years of age.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The spring examination of teachers for the year 1908 will be held on April 30th and May 1st and 2nd; the summer examination will be held on July 29th, 30th and 31st.

Teachers may take either of these examinations, but all who do not expect to attend a summer institute should take the examination in May, as the result of the July examination for those who do not attend the summer schools may be made known too late for many teachers to contract for schools and may thus cause them inconvenience.

THE MARKET.

The supply of country produce in market this morning exceeded that of last Saturday, and there was a greater variety. Eggs sold at from 18 to 20 cents a dozen and good butter brought 35 cents a pound. Poultry was still high. Other articles were offered at about former prices. There was a fine display of fresh fish but prices were unchanged.

Mr. John Riha, of Vining, Ia., says: "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Some broken sizes in Hess shoes $5 and $6 grades, $2.50 get them, if you are quick. Marshall, 422 King street

TRESPASSERS CAUGHT.

Mr. William A. Smoot captured John McCuen and Frank Wilkins at an early hour last night under suspicious circumstances. The two men were seen by Mr. Smoot tampering with some machinery on a sand dredge which is undergoing repairs at his wharf, foot of Princess street. When Mr. Smoot called to them, the men jumped overboard and started to swim out into the river, while another man in a small boat, which was near the dredge, rowed away as rapidly as possible, Mr. Smoot firing four shots at him in the meantime. The two men who swam away soon returned, nearly exhausted, came ashore and surrendered. Mr. Smoot marched them to his office at the point of his pistol, where he telephoned for the police. Chief Goods and Officer Talbot soon appeared and conducted the men to the station house. They were identified as John McCuen and Frank Wilkins. They refused to give the name of the man who escaped in the boat, but Lintenant Bettis and Officers Nicholson and Arrington took John Penn in custody at an early hour this morning, and he is acknowleged to be the man who managed to escape the bullets from Mr. Smoot's pistol. One ball, however, is said to have struck the boat. The accused will be brought before the Police Court Monday morning.

WANTS RECEIVER.

John W. Jefferson has entered suit in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia against William G. Van Matre, whom he claims as a co-partner in the ownership of the Gem Theater on H street northwest Washington, and another moving picture theater in the Opera House in this city, asking the court to compel Van Matre to recognize him as a co-partner and divide the profits. He claims that a year ago they entered into a verbal agreement by which they became partners in the Gem Theater, and later in this city. At the time, he declares, Van Matre discouraged the idea of articles of co-partnership, saying that between such good friends as they were legal documents were entirely unnecessary. Jefferson states in his bill that he was to receive one-third of the profits of both theaters, and that although he has received his share of the profits of the Washington show he has had none of profits from the exhibitions in this city. He asks the court to appoint a receiver for the shows, and to grant an injunction restraining Van Matre from withdrawing the theater funds in the Traders' National Bank and the National Bank of Washington.

W., A. & F. C. RAILWAY.

The report of the receivers of the W., A. & F. C. Railway has been made public and shows the financial affairs of the road to be in bad shape. It is said that there is a deficit in the treasury and that the receivers are confronted with a deficit of about $32,000 for power, interest on bonds, etc., and in addition to this fact the receivers are operating the road now at a loss of probably thirty dollars a day on all accounts. This being the case there is little prospect of those who were injured in the accident on that road on July 3 last of securing damages.

FEAST OF PURIM.

Purim, the Jewish feast commemorative of the deliverance of the Jews out of the hands of Haman and his Persian coadjutors, will be celebrated on Monday evening by orthodox Israelites. The festival will begin at sunset on Monday. After the service in the houses of worship there will be feasting and merrymaking which all may indulge in. There will be no services in the synagogue in this city on Monday. At the regular service last night the Book of Esther was read and prayers appropriate to Purim were recited. The occasion will in some instances be celebrated in private homes.

COLORED REPUBLICANS.

T. M. Watson, the newly elected colored city chairman of the republican party, in conjunction with republicans of the Eighth Congressional convention will meet at 427 south Royal street next Monday night, to elect two delegates to the Chicago national republican convention. The colored republicans of the Eighth district will be fully represented.

The negro republicans of the Eighth district, say they mean business. Magnus L. Robinson is certain to be one of the delegates chosen and he has decided to go to Chicago, win or lose.

BASKETBALL AND DANCE.

The game of basketball tonight between the Alexandria Athletic Association and the Govan's Y. M. C. A., of Baltimore, is looked forward to by all lovers of the game as the teams are about evenly matched. The line up will be as follows:

Govan.		Alexandria.
J. McAfer	R. F.	Wilkinson
T. McAfer	L. T.	McKenney
Gibson	C.	Robey, Hoy
T. Vaugh	R. B.	Dobson
Felts, Cross	L. B.	Towlin, Duble

POLICE COURT.

There was no session of the Police Court this morning, all the cases on the docket having been continued until Monday. They are as follows:

John McOuen, Frank Williams and John Penn, charged with the larceny of machinery belonging to W. A. Smoot.

James Lucas, charged with stealing eggs from David Pearson.

FRONT TRUCK DERAILED.

The front truck of the tender of the locomotive attached to north bound Southern Railway passenger train No. 36, jumped the track on a bridge at Oak Ridge, about 144 miles from this city, early last night. The traffic on the road was delayed for a time, but there was no damage to the train and no persons was injured.

MEN'S MEETING.

A meeting for men will be held at The Young People's Building of the M. E. Church South tomorrow afternoon from 3:30 to 4:30 o'clock. James W. Witten, esq., attorney-at-law, of Washington, will deliver an address. His subject will be, "Man to Man." Mrs. T. A. Hulfish will render a solo on the occasion.

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PERSONAL.

Mount Vernon Chapter, D. A. R. held its regular meeting yesterday evening at the residence of Mrs. R. W. Fuller on Oronoco street. After the transaction of routine business the members of the chapter were entertained by their hostess.

Mrs. George W. Laycock, of Hamilton, is the guests of relatives in this city.

Mr. J. E. Shinn, master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, paid a visit to Fredericksburg Lodge last night.

Col. J. S. Mosby was in the city today and was warmly greeted by his many friends.

Mrs. C. E. Bradley returned from New York today.

Mr. Charles A. Mowbray left Thursday for California.

RECEPTION OF MEMBERS.

As a result of the revival services held in the M. E. Church South, a large number will be received into the Church tomorrow. Candidates will be baptized at both the morning and evening services.

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When a man has trouble with his stomach you may know that he is eating more than he should or of some article of food or drink not suited to his age or occupation, or that his bowels are habitually constipated. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to regulate the bowels and improve the digestion and see if the trouble does not disappear. Ask for a free sample. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The current which has been in the river during the past few days had nearly subsided this morning.

The schooner Silver Spray, loaded with lumber by H. K. Field & Co., has sailed for Colonial Beach.

There was a heavy shower of rain about twelve o'clock last night. There were also some thunder and lightning.

An effort is being made to have an electric road built westward from the terminus of the Great Falls and Old Dominion line.

Mr. James Roche has on exhibition in his store window on King street some genuine shamrock which he has just received from Ireland.

A colored man and a colored woman engaged in a fight at the corner of Queen and Pitt streets shortly after 9 o'clock last night. The fight caused some excitement in the neighborhood.

The grand jury of the Corporation Court yesterday afternoon completed the examination of all buildings in this city where public gatherings take place. The jury will render its report to the court on Wednesday next.

Two of the handsomest ladies of Alexandria came to town Tuesday in the interest of an orphan home. From what we can learn of their success we are glad they did not ask for the town. —[Manassas Journal.

When a street car hit a patrol wagon at Fourteenth and P streets northwest, Washington, at 4:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, four policemen and the driver of the wagon were badly hurt. Inside of five minutes following the accident a crowd estimated at 4,000 or 5,000 people packed the streets—men, women and children struggling and jamming in a mad desire to see the injured men.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has broken the world's record for the loading of coal at its Curtis bay coal pier near Baltimore by loading 7,225 tons of Consolidation Coal Company, Georges Creek coal and 268 tons of bunkers into the hold of the American steamship Maiden a few days ago in the remarkably short time of six hours. Among those who supervised the work of loading the steamer was Chief Clerk John T. Stone, a native of this city.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar6 tf

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OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 10 a. m. and 8 45, 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 4 30 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m, and 4 00 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 8 45 a. m., 2 30, and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 8 45 a. m. and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 p. m. 9 30 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 30 a. m., and 3 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 6 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 30 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

LOST.

LOST.—In the market this morning, March 14th, a POCKETBOOK containing a small sum of money and a monthly ticket for Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway. Finder will please return to 1371 south Fairfax street and receive reward. 11*

LOST.—Bunch of five KEYS with chain attached. Finder will will please leave at Gazette office and receive reward. mar14 3t

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Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, MAR. 14, 1908.

Life in Christiania.

Many of the residences of Christiania stand villa-like in the midst of pretty gardens, which in summer are full of bloom and give the streets a peculiar charm and sense of openness. Within, the people live simple, wholesome lives, kindly and hospitable, with that truest hospitality which invites the guest to share in good cheer without ostentation or display. Dinner is at 3 or 4 o'clock, served by trim, fresh looking maids, and supper at 8, where, except on formal occasions, the guest is free to forage around the table for himself. Host and hostess drink the health of each guest with the word "skaal," replied to by the eyes over the glass after drinking. Adjourning to the drawing room, the guests thank both master and mistress of the house, and on the next meeting never fail to say, "Thanks for the last time." One is everywhere struck by the frank and unaffected simplicity of the life and the straightforward kindliness of the people.—H. H. D. Peirce in Atlantic.

Dread of Marble Portraits.

"One peculiarity of human nature that I am reminded of daily," said a sculptor, "is the disinclination of the average man to look upon himself reproduced in marble. The sight strikes him with positive dread. It makes him feel as if he were looking on his own lifeless body. For that reason it is difficult to persuade many persons worth modeling to sit for a sculptor. Frequently I am asked why most of my work is modeled after dead and gone subjects. The answer is that living people refuse to give me a commission. The art of the sculptor differs there from that of the painter. Everybody likes to be painted. The sight of one's face, one's figure, one's clothes, in a picture evokes nothing but pleasurable emotions if well done, but to see oneself carved out of marble produces such an overpowering sense of death that many sensitive persons put off immortalization at the hands of a sculptor until they are really dead."—New York Press.

His Brothers.

At the usual monthly petty sessions court held in a certain provincial town some weeks ago the following incident occurred:

One of the local police constables had summoned a neighboring farmer on a charge of "having a number of asses wandering at will on the public road." The defendant failed to appear, but his brother was present in the person of the clerk of petty sessions, who on hearing the sentence of the presiding magistrate, "Fined 2s. 2d. and costs," rose to the occasion by replying: "They're my brother's, your worship. I'll pay the fine."

He was shocked when his becoming exhibition of fraternal love for the asses was rewarded with an outburst of laughter.—London Graphic.

Where the Shoe Pinched.

It was easy for Mr. Randall to bear with his wife's remarkable decision of character at all times, but her obstinacy he found most difficult to endure. "I can't quite comprehend her," he confided to his brother after one trying experience. "Many years as we have been married, she still surprises me. Why, all in the same day, sometimes in the same hour, she will settle a disturbance in the kitchen, put the children just where they belong, adjust some matter in the church and then, when her judgment ought to be at its best, display the most astounding obstinacy in attempting to regulate my goings out or comings in. It's—it's incomprehensible."

Moslem Prayer Rugs.

Prayer rugs were evidently invented for the purpose of providing the worshipers with one absolutely clean place on which to offer prayers. It is not lawful for a Moslem to pray on any place not perfectly clean, and unless each one has his own special rug he is not certain that the spot has not been polluted. It does not matter to these followers of Mohammed how unclean a rug that is on the floor may be, because over it they place the prayer rug when their devotions begin.

An Eye Experiment.

The two eyes really see two objects. If the two forefingers be held, one at the distance of one foot, the other two feet in front of the eyes, and the former be looked at, two phantoms of the latter will be observed, one on each side. If the latter figure be regarded, two phantoms of the nearest finger will be observed mounting guard, one on either side.

Answered.

Two ministerial candidates named Adam and Low preached in a Scottish church. Mr. Low preached in the morning and took for his text, "Adam, where art thou?"

He made a most excellent discourse, and the congregation was much edified. In the evening Mr. Adam preached and took for his text, "Lo, here I am!"

His Economy.

Father—It's only fair to tell you that I'm pleased with your economy this term. Your requests for money were too frequent last term. Son—Yes, father, I thought so, too, so this term I've had everything on tick.—London Tit-Bits.

Lucky.

Smith—Just missed running down an old lady with my auto. Jones—Bah Jove, you're a lucky dog! Smith—Sure. I just had it painted last week.—Chicago News.

Little Food.

Student—Something is preying on my mind. Professor W.—It must be very hungry.—Yale Record.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

B. F. Crocker, Esq., now 84 years of age, and for twenty years Justice of the Peace at Marlinsburg, Iowa, says: "I am terribly afflicted with sciatic rheumatism in my left arm and right hip. I have used three bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it did me lots of good." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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Odd Use For Bread.

Perhaps the most novel use to which bread is put may be seen in one of our great watch factories, where more than forty loaves of fresh bread are required each day. An official of the watch factory is quoted as saying

"There is no secret regarding the use of bread in this factory, and I am willing to tell all I can concerning it. From the earliest times in the history of watchmaking it has been the custom of watchmakers to reduce fresh bread to the form of dough. This is done by steaming and kneading. They then use this dough for removing oil and chips that naturally adhere in course of manufacture to pieces as small as a part of a watch. There are many parts of a watch, by the way, that are so small as to be barely visible to the naked eye. The oil is absorbed by this dough and the chips stick to it, and there is no other known substance which can be used as a wiper without leaving some of its particles attached to the thing wiped. This accounts for the continued use of bread dough in the watchmaking industry."—American Food Journal.

A Quaint Compliment.

On Mark Twain's seventy-second birthday a Hartford clergyman said of him:

"No wonder he finds happiness in old age. All the aged would be happy if they were as sympathetic and as kind as he. He is continually going out of his way to please others, and the result is that he is continually pleasing himself. Listen, for instance, to the quaint compliment he paid me the last time he came to hear me preach. He waited for me at the church door at the service's end and, shaking me by the hand, said gravely:

"'I mean no offense, but I feel obliged to tell you that the preaching this morning has been of a kind that I can spare. I go to church, sir, to pursue my own train of thought, but today I couldn't do it. You interfered with me. You forced me to attend to you and lost me a full half hour. I beg that this may not occur again.'"

Philosophy of Descartes.

Turning the mental vision inward, as Bacon turned it outward, Descartes watched the operations of the soul as an object in a microscope. Resolved to believe nothing but upon evidence so convincing that he could not by any effort refuse his ascent, he found as he inspected his beliefs that he could plausibly doubt everything but his own existence. Here at last was the everlasting rock, and this was revealed in his own consciousness; hence his famous "Cogito ergo sum" (I think, therefore I am). Consciousness, said he, is the basis of certitude. Interrogate it and its clear replies will be science, for all clear ideas are true. Down in the depths of the mind is the idea of the infinite perfection—the mark of the workman impressed upon his work. Therefore God exists.—New York American.

Science and Sound Fact.

"The workings of the human mind when asleep are full of wonder," remarked a scientist who was paying a visit to an acquaintance. "Have you ever started up from a sound dreamless sleep, with every sense on the alert and with your whole being thrilled with a vivid yet indefinable feeling that something was wrong and instant action required?"

"Often," replied his hostess, "and in nearly every case I have found that I was awakened by the fumbling of my husband's key at the front door!"

Impertinent.

Speaking of a man noted for his impertinence, an acquaintance said:

"Blank's impudence was second only to that of a waiter I heard about the other day.

"'Look here, waiter,' said a guest, 'this fish is not cooked properly.'

"'I know it, sir,' said the waiter, 'but you told me it was for your wife.'

"'Well, what of that?' asked the surprised guest.

"'Why,' said the waiter, 'I knew that if the lady was your wife she couldn't be very particular.'"

Realism in Art.

Two artists were boasting how they could paint. "Do you know," said one, "I painted a sixpence on the ground one day, and a beggar nearly broke his fingers trying to pick it up!" "That's nothing to what I did," said the other. "I painted a leg of mutton on a stone, and it was so realistic that a dog ate half the stone before he found out his mistake!"

His Narrow Escape.

"I tell you, the closing of the Steenth National was a mighty close call for me."

"How was that?"

"Why, a friend had advised me to put my money in it and"—

"And you took his advice?"

"No, but I would if I'd had any money."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not the Kind He Wanted.

"Little Willie ran away to hunt redskins."

"Yes?"

"But he didn't find any until his father had finished with him."—Harper's Weekly.

Ungallant.

"My face is my fortune, sir," she said.

"Well," he replied, "poverty is no disgrace, but it's awfully inconvenient at times."

The Wicked Husband.

"Why does a man lie to his wife?" asks a woman writer. Dear me, does he?—Duluth Herald.

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AUCTION SALE.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust, dated September 8 h, 1904, and duly recorded among the Land Records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 109, Folio 278, given by Victor Anderson to the undersigned trustee, to secure the payment of a sum of money as therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said sum, and at the request and direction of the party thereby secured, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon on

THURSDAY, March 19, 1908,

the following property, to wit:

Lots 4 and 5, Block 3; Lots 1 to 15, both inclusive, Block 8, and Lots 5 to 8, both inclusive, Block 9, in the subdivision of land in Alexandria County, Virginia, known as "Park Addition," said subdivision being recorded in Liber N, No. 4, Folio 231 of the Land Records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing at purchaser's cost. M. B. HARLOW,
mar3 td Trustee

S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST made by Mary Anne McCuen, bearing date on the 14th day of July, 1906, and of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 55, page 104, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the said deed of trust according to its terms, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale on

SATURDAY, the 28th day of March, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon in the said city of Alexandria, Va., bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the north side of Queen street with the east side of Columbus street and running thence east on Queen street eighteen (18) feet, five (5) inches more or less, to the line of the "Friends' Burial Ground;" thence north parallel to Columbus street eighty-six (86) feet, seven (7) inches; thence west in a direct line eighteen (18) feet, five (5) inches to Columbus street, and thence south on Columbus street eighty-six (86) feet, seven (7) inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

Terms of sale: Cash. All costs of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.
JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
HENRY BAADER,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
mar11 td Trustees.

S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST made by Mary Louise Rabe, bearing date on the 3d day of June, 1907, and recorded in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 56, page 41, default having been made in the payment of the deed of trust according to its terms, and being thereunto requested, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY,

the 28th day of March, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, the following described property in the said city of Alexandria, Va., bounded as follows, to wit:

1st. Beginning on the west side of Payne street 176 feet, 7 inches north of Duke street, and running thence north on Payne street 16 feet, more or less, to Dudley's line, thence west parallel to Duke street 123 feet, 5 inches; thence south parallel to Payne street 16 feet more or less, and thence east in a direct line 123 feet, 5 inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

2nd. All that lot beginning at the south line of the above described lot and running thence south on Payne street 30 feet more or less, to the north line of the lot conveyed by E. C. Atwell and wife to E. G. Atwell; thence west parallel to Duke street 125 feet, 5 inches; thence north parallel to Payne street 30 feet, the length of the first line, and thence east in a direct line 123 feet, 5 inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

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P. M. BRADSHAW,
mar11 td Trustees.

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on March 11, 1908, in the chancery cause of Annie E. Webster, guardian, etc., vs. Mary P. Webster and Annie L. Webster, therein depending, the undersigned, who, by the terms of said decree, was appointed special commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance of the Market building in this city, at 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, March 23, 1908,

all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as No. 406 Wilkes street, situated on the south side of Wilkes street, between Royal and Pitt streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on Wilkes street eighty-one feet, eight and one-half inches to the west of Royal street, and running thence south one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches; thence west and parallel to Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the lot conveyed by George Washington and others to John B. Webster; thence north and parallel to Royal street one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches to Wilkes street; thence east and binding on Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the beginning, with the right to use the west wall or side of the house upon the lot adjoining this lot on the east, and with right reserved to open an alley ten feet wide from said adjoining lot on the east across this property, the north line of said alley to be ninety feet south of Wilkes street, and to correspond with a similar alley laid off, as specified in a deed dated April 1, 1854, from James W. Campbell to James Breen.

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Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, Commissioner of Sale in the above entitled cause, has executed bond with approved security, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duty, in accordance with the terms of said decree.
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